

### REMARKS

The applicants file this amendment under Rule 312 to amend claims 30 and 34. The amendment to claim 30 cancels the term, "non-nucleic acid." The undersigned authorized this amendment on January 12, 2004, and understood it was to be made by Examiner's amendment. Paragraph 9 (p. 4) of the Notice of Allowability manifests the Examiner's understanding consistent with this amendment: "Thus, while the application lacks *ipsis verbis* support for the language "non-nucleic acid" **cancelled from claim 30**, such a limitation...." (Emphasis Added.)

The amendment to claim 34 is merely clerical in nature. When "amphipathic adjuvant" was amended to "3- $\beta$ -(N(N'N'-dimethylaminoethane)carbamoyl) cholesterol" in the claims from which claim 34 depended, the corresponding amendment to claim 34 (required to provide proper antecedent basis) was inadvertently overlooked.

These amendments do not raise new substantive issues.

If there are any questions or comments regarding this Response or application, the applicants encourage the Examiner to contact the undersigned attorney as indicated below. Please charge any fees due to deposit account no. 13-2490.

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